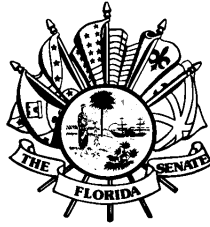


Senate Interim Calendar

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Updated Tuesday, November 1, 2005
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SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 7, 2005 (This is a schedule of times and places set by the Committee on Rules and Calendar and is subject to change.)				
MONDAY NOVEMBER 7, 2005	TUESDAY NOVEMBER 8, 2005	WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 9, 2005	THURSDAY NOVEMBER 10, 2005	FRIDAY NOVEMBER 11, 2005
	9:00-11:00 a.m. Group II Communications & Public Utilities Rm. 301 (SB) Community Affairs Rm. 401 (SB) Education Rm. 110 (SB) Ethics & Elections (NM)* 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Democratic Caucus Rm. 228 (SB)	9:00-11:00 a.m. Group IV Agriculture Rm. 37 (SB) Banking & Insurance Rm. 412 (KB) Commerce & Consumer Services Rm. 401 (SB) Domestic Security Rm. 301 (SB) 12:00 noon-1:00 p.m. Meeting between the President and the Committee Chairs Rm. 117 (KB)	9:00-11:00 a.m. Group VI Education Approp. Rm. 412 (KB) General Government Approp. Rm. 301 (SB) Government Efficiency Approp. Rm. 110 (SB) Health & Human Services Approp. Rm. 401 (SB) Justice Approp. Rm. 37 (SB) Transportation & Economic Development Approp. Rm. 309 (CB)	
Lunch and District Office	Lunch and District Office	Lunch and District Office	Lunch and District Office	
1:00-3:00 p.m. Legislative Commission on Migrant & Seasonal Labor Rm. 401 (SB) 2:30-4:30 p.m. Manufactured Housing Regulatory Study Commission Rm. 404 (HB) 3:15-5:00 p.m. Administrative Procedures Rm. 301 (CB) Legislative Auditing Rm. 309 (CB) Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations (NM)* 3:15-7:00 p.m. Select Committee on Medicaid Reform Rm. 412 (KB)	2:00-4:00 p.m. Group III Environmental Preservation Rm. 401 (SB) Regulated Industries Rm. 110 (SB) Transportation Rm. 37 (SB) 2:00-5:00 p.m. Group III Children & Families See agenda	2:00-4:00 p.m. Group V Criminal Justice Rm. 37 (SB) Judiciary Rm. 401 (SB) 2:00-5:00 p.m. Group V Governmental Oversight & Productivity See agenda Health Care Rm. 412 (KB)		

(NM)* = Not Meeting

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Committee Meetings for November 7 - 10, 2005

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2005

1:00—3:00 p.m.

Legislative Commission on Migrant and Seasonal Labor (Group I): 1:00—3:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senators Alexander, Aronberg and Peaden)

Presentation by staff of the duties and authority of the commission

Presentation of difficulties affecting migrant and seasonal laborers as a result of Hurricane Wilma

2:30—4:30 p.m.

Manufactured Housing Regulatory Study Commission: 2:30—4:30 p.m., Room 404, House Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senators Lawson and Sebesta)

Commission members will meet for the purpose of reviewing information provided in response to commission approved option of transferring regulation of modular housing from the Department of Community Affairs to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, and to conduct other business as authorized by section 21 of chapter 2005-147, Laws of Florida

3:15—5:00 p.m.

Administrative Procedures Committee (Group I): 3:15—5:00 p.m., Jerry Thomas Committee Room, 301 Capitol:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Bennett, Alternating Chair; Senators Argenziano and Bullard)

Status report

Report on 2005 legislation

Update on two instances of unadopted policy:

Unadopted policies of the Department of Children & Families relating to the Road to Independence Act

Unadopted policy contained in a Policy & Procedure Manual of the Department of Health, Division of Medical Quality Assurance, regarding practitioner complaint processing

New objections:

64B1-3.001(6), Definitions. Department of Health; Board of Acupuncture

64B1-9.005, Definitions. Department of Health; Board of Acupuncture

Reports and appearances

Legislative Auditing Committee (Group I): 3:15—5:00 p.m., Verle A. Pope Committee Room, 309 Capitol:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Wise, Alternating Chair; Senators Aronberg, Crist, Hill and Posey)

Organization of the Committee:

Election of Chairman and Alternating Chairman

Adoption of Rules

Response by the Department of Management Services to the Auditor General's audit, presented at the October 17th JLAC meeting, Report No. 2006-015, MYFLORIDAMARKETPLACE System Information Technology Audit

Other committee business

3:15—7:00 p.m.

Select Committee on Medicaid Reform (Group VIII):

3:15—7:00 p.m., Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Carlton, Chair; Senator Atwater, Vice-Chair; Senators Campbell, Clary, Dawson, Haridopolos, Miller, Peaden, Rich, Saunders and Villalobos)

Presentation of the updated Medicaid reform waiver application and the special terms and conditions as approved by the federal government

Presentation and discussion of stakeholder comments regarding the Medicaid reform waiver application posted August 30, 2005

Discussion of significant outstanding issues related to the special terms and conditions as approved by the federal government

Discussion of potential contents of a Medicaid reform waiver implementation plan and a proposed implementation bill

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2005

9:00—11:00 a.m.

Communications and Public Utilities (Group II): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Constantine, Chair; Senator Aronberg, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Diaz de la Portilla, Dockery, Garcia, Margolis, Miller and Smith)

Presentations on Electric Generation, Capacity and Fuel Supply:

Mark Futrell, Florida Public Service Commission, re: Overview of the Federal Energy Act - electric regulation

Jim Dean, Office of Strategic Analysis and Governmental Affairs, Florida Public Service Commission, re: The installed generation capacity for the state

Ken Wiley, President & CEO, Florida Reliability Coordinating Council, re: How the Florida Reliability Council moves into action when there is a shortfall in either capacity or fuel

Jack Boatman, Vice President of Business Development, Florida Gas Transmission, re: Performance of Interstate natural gas pipelines this hurricane season

David Mica, Executive Director, Florida Petroleum Council, re: Petroleum markets, prices and hurricanes

Community Affairs (Group II): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Bennett, Chair; Senator Haridopolos, Vice-Chair; Senators Clary, Geller, Hill, Lawson, Pruitt and Villalobos)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-208 (Open Government Sunset relating to Code Enforcement Officers) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7000—Code Enforcement Officers/OGSR

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-207 (Open Government Sunset relating to Human Resource Directors) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7002—Human Resource Directors/OGSR

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-107 (Land Use Board of Appeals)

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, November 7, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Education (Group II): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Lynn, Chair; Senator Baker, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, King, Klein, Webster, Wilson and Wise)

Presentation on Community High Okaloosa Institute for Career Education (CHOICE) by Okaloosa County School District

SB 122 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Tuition Waivers/Purple Heart
SB 84 (CA) by Senator Lynn—Exceptional Student Instruction

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11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

CAUCUS NOTICE: The Democratic Caucus will meet from 11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m., in Room 228, Senate Office Building.

2:00—4:00 p.m.

Environmental Preservation (Group III): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Dockery, Chair; Senator Siplin, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Argenziano, Baker, Constantine, Lawson and Smith)

Presentation by Southwest Florida Water Management District on their 2006 budget proposal and an update on the implementation of CS/CS/CS/SB 444 on the state's water resource development efforts

Presentation by South Florida Water Management District on their 2006 budget proposal and an update on the implementation of CS/CS/CS/SB 444 on the state's water resource development efforts

Presentation on the status of Lake Okeechobee and discussion of potential uses of excess water by the South Florida Water Management District with input from the Southwest Florida Water Management District

Presentation by the Department of Environmental Preservation and the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission on the Babcock Ranch proposed acquisition

Regulated Industries (Group III): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 110,
Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Jones, Chair; Senator Hill, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Dawson, Geller, Haridopolos, King, Posey, Saunders and Wise)

Continuation of presentations on Direct Shipment of Wine

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-145 (Deregulation of Intertrack and Simulcast Wagering at Florida's Pari-mutuel Facilities)

Panel discussion regarding Simulcast Wagering

Transportation (Group III): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 37, Senate
Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Sebesta, Chair; Senator Klein, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Bullard, Clary, Crist, Diaz de la Portilla and Margolis)

Presentation by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles concerning the effects of aging on driving ability

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-225, Open Government Sunset Review of s. 316.066(3)(c), F.S., Crash Reports):

SPB 7038—Motor Vehicle Crashes/OGSR

Presentation by ITS Florida

Presentation by Department of Transportation on implementation of the transportation elements of chapter 2005-290, Laws of Florida

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2:00—5:00 p.m.

Children and Families (Group III): 2:00—5:00 p.m., Department
of Children and Families, 1317 Winewood Boulevard, Building 5,
Tallahassee:

(MEMBERS: Senator Campbell, Chair; Senator Webster, Vice-Chair; Senators Fasano, Lynn, Peadar and Rich)

Site Visit: The Florida Abuse Hotline
Department of Children and Families
1317 Winewood Boulevard, Building 5

Comments from Secretary Lucy Hadi, Department of Children and
Families

Operation of the Hotline, Elizabeth Schlein, Director

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2005

9:00—11:00 a.m.

Agriculture (Group IV): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Smith, Chair; Senator Bullard, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Bennett, Haridopolos and Peadar)

Presentation regarding agriculture damage as a result of Hurricane Wilma

Presentation regarding the status of Citrus Greening Disease in the state

Presentation regarding the status of the Citrus Canker Eradication Program

Presentation regarding research conducted by the Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences at the University of Florida

Presentation regarding tax exemptions provided for fuels and energy used in agriculture

Presentation regarding the national beef promotion program litigation (Monitor Project 2006-303)

Presentation regarding Department of Citrus, Box Tax Litigation (Monitor Project 2006-351)

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-201 Open Government Sunset Review of s. 403.067(7)(d)2., F.S. (2004), Agricultural Records):

SPB 7012—Agricultural Records/OGSR

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, November 8, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Banking and Insurance (Group IV): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Garcia, Chair; Senator Geller, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Baker, Campbell, Fasano, Lawson, Miller and Posey)

Discussion and presentation of the following issues related to Citizens Property Insurance Corporation:

- Status report on Hurricane Wilma losses, adjustment and settlement of claims, and financing of claims
- Impact of downgrading of Citizens' credit rating
- Board actions to implement conflict of interest policies and ethical requirements for employees and board members
- Status of market conduct examination by Office of Insurance Regulation

Report by Office of Insurance Regulation on status of property insurance market post-Hurricane Wilma

Staff presentation of Interim Project 2006-102—Florida's Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law

Commerce and Consumer Services (Group IV):

9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator King, Chair; Senator Pruitt, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Crist, Klein, Lynn, Margolis and Saunders)

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-205, Open Government Sunset Review of the Public Records Exemption for business Records Provided to Economic Development Agencies):

SPB 7034—Public-Records Exemption/OGSR

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-206, Open Government Sunset Review of the Public Record and Meetings Exemptions Related to Temporary Cash Assistance):

SPB 7032—Review Under OGSR Act

Discussion of Committee Interim Project Report 2006-105: Review of the Florida Black Business Investment Board and Black Business Investment Corporations

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Domestic Security (Group IV): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Wilson, Vice-Chair; Senators Constantine, Dockery, Hill, Sebesta, Siplin and Wise)

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-210, Open Government Sunset Review of s. 119.071, F.S., Security Systems Plans and Interim Project 2006-211, Open Government Sunset Review of s. 286.0113, F.S., Security Systems Plans):

SPB 7014—Security System Plans/State/OGSR

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-212, Open Government Sunset Review of s. 381.95, F.S., Terrorism Response and Medical Facilities):

SPB 7016—Medical Facilities Info./DOH/OGSR

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-213, Open Government Sunset Review of s. 395.1056(1),(2),(3), F.S., Emergency Management Plans):

SPB 7018—Emergency Mgmt. Plans/Hospitals/OGSR

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-114 (Review of Federally Funded, Multi-discipline Domestic Security Training and Exercise Activities)

Continuation of agencies' reports on Hurricane Katrina response:

- Florida Fish and Wildlife Commission
- Department of Health

Presentation on evacuation and shelter issues

Discussion of Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations' Draft Interim Project Report on Natural Disaster Preparedness, Response and Recovery

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12:00 noon—1:00 p.m.

SPECIAL NOTICE: The Senate President will meet with the Senate Committee Chairs from 12:00 noon until 1:00 p.m., in Room 117, Knott Building, to discuss legislative issues.

2:00—4:00 p.m.

Criminal Justice (Group V): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Wise, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice-Chair; Senators Crist, Haridopolos, King, Klein, Lynn and Wilson)

SB 100 (CA) by Senator Wise—Drug Paraphernalia Abatement
SB 214 (CA) by Senator Wise—Dart-Firing Stun Guns/Training & Use

A public hearing for consideration of the confirmation of the below-named executive appointment to the office indicated. (All persons wishing to be heard on this appointment are requested to notify the committee administrative assistant at (850) 487-5192 on the day preceding the hearing.)

Tena M. Pate, Parole Commission, TERM ENDING DATE:
06/30/2010

Presentation by Secretary Schembre, Department of Juvenile Justice, on implementing the background screening requirements in HB 1917 (ch. 2005-263, L.O.F.).

Presentation by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability on its September 2005 report (#05-46) entitled "Qualifications, Screening, Salaries, and Training Affect Quality and Turnover of Juvenile Justice Employees"

Presentation by the Florida Juvenile Justice Association on juvenile justice provider workforce and training issues

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-113 (Resentencing Youthful Offenders Who Violate the Terms of Probation)

Presentation by the Florida Parole Commission on agency status and recent activities

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, November 8, 2005 at 2:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Judiciary (Group V): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Webster, Chair; Senator Villalobos, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Baker, Campbell, Clary, Geller and Posey)

SB 118 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Temporary Child Custody

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-142, Review of Application of Defense in Interference with Custody Cases, s. 787.03, F.S., and Associated Open Government Sunset Review):

SPB 7040—Custody Interference

(PRELIMINARY DRAFT AVAILABLE - FINAL DRAFT WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT LEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING)

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-142, Review of Application of Defense in Interference with Custody Cases, s. 787.03, F.S., and Associated Open Government Sunset Review):

SPB 7042—Open Government Sunset Review Act

(PRELIMINARY DRAFT AVAILABLE - FINAL DRAFT WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT LEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING)

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2:00—5:00 p.m.

Governmental Oversight and Productivity (Group V):

2:00—5:00 p.m., Department of State's Mission San Luis de Apalachee, 2020 Mission Road, Tallahassee:

(MEMBERS: Senator Argenziano, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Garcia, Margolis and Sebesta)

Committee Site Visit to Department of State's Mission San Luis de Apalachee, 2020 Mission Road, Tallahassee

Transportation will be provided to committee members and will depart at 2:00 p.m. and return at 5:00 p.m. at the South Adams Street entrance to the Capitol

Health Care (Group V): 2:00—5:00 p.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room*, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Peadar, Chair; Senator Dawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Atwater, Fasano, Jones, Miller, Pruitt, Rich, Saunders and Siplin)

SB 82 (CA) by Senator Lynn—Immunizations
SB 156 (CA) by Senator Lynn and others—Florida 211 Network
SB 148 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Public Swimming & Bathing Facilities

Update on Medicaid Reform

Presentations on the prevention of obesity in children

Status report on changes to the Medicaid Aged and Disabled (MEDS-AD) eligibility group

Presentations relating to and discussion of the Medicaid MediPass Program

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-138, Review the Moratorium on Certificates of Need for Nursing Homes):

SPB 7020—Certificates of Need/Nursing Homes

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-223, Pharmacy Licensure by Endorsement Requirements, s. 465.0075, F.S.):

SPB 7022—Practice of Pharmacy

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-133 (Identification and Prevention of Fraud and Abuse in Medicaid Managed Care)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-135 (Review of Issues Relating to Electronic Prescribing)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-136 (Review of Medical and Osteopathic Physician Licensure)

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, November 8, 2005 at 2:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2005

9:00—11:00 a.m.

Education Appropriations (Group VI): 9:00—11:00 a.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:*

(MEMBERS: Senator Alexander, Chair; Senator King, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, Constantine, Klein, Lynn, Miller and Wise)

Presentations:

Legislative Budget Requests:

State Board of Education
Board of Governors

Community Education Partnerships

General Government Appropriations (Group VI): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Clary, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Baker, Garcia and Siplin)

Presentations on Hurricane Damages:

Department of Environmental Protection
Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
Department of Financial Services
Office of Insurance Regulation

Presentation on Red Tide, Research Efforts and Funding:

Gil McRae, Director, Fish and Wildlife Research Institute, Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

Presentation on Performance Report of the People First Personnel System:

Secretary Tom Lewis, Department of Management Services

Presentation on MyFloridaMarketPlace Purchasing System, Explanation and Financial Impact of Modification 4 to the Contract:

Secretary Tom Lewis, Department of Management Services

Government Efficiency Appropriations (Group VI):

9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Atwater, Chair; Senator Campbell, Vice-Chair; Senators Diaz de la Portilla, Geller, Haridopolos and Posey)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-126 (Assessment of Homestead Property Damaged or Destroyed by Misfortune or Calamity)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-128 (Rewrite of section 212.20(6)(d), F.S., Sales Tax Distributions)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-216 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 213.053, F.S., Communications Services Tax Simplification Law) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7030—DOR>Returns & Accounts Info./OGSR

Recent Revisions to State Revenue and Economic Forecasts, Overview

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Wednesday, November 9, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Health and Human Services Appropriations (Group VI):

9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Saunders, Chair; Senator Pruitt, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Dawson, Jones, Peaden, Rich and Wilson)

Monitoring Updates:

Florida KidCare Continuous Enrollment
Medicare Part D Implementation
Department of Legal Affairs/Medicaid Fraud
Agency for Persons with Disabilities

Agency for Persons with Disabilities:

Medicaid Waiver Updates

Agency for Health Care Administration:

Medicaid Reform Waiver Update

Department of Elder Affairs:

Medicaid Waiver Updates
Nursing Home Diversion

FY 2006-2007 Legislative Budget Requests:

Agency for Health Care Administration
Department of Children and Families
Department of Elder Affairs
Department of Health
Agency for Persons with Disabilities
Department of Veterans' Affairs

Justice Appropriations (Group VI): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Crist, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Aronberg and Villalobos)

Update on Department of Juvenile Justice Detention Centers

Auditor General Report No. 2006-030 regarding the Department of Juvenile Justice Selected Administrative Functions

Update on Background Screening in the Department of Juvenile Justice

Update and Coordination of Computer Crime Centers between the Department of Law Enforcement and the Department of Legal Affairs

Review of FY 2004-2005 Due Process Expenditures

Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

(Group VI): 9:00—11:00 a.m., *Verle A. Pope Committee Room*, 309 Capitol:

(MEMBERS: Senator Fasano, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair; Senators Dockery, Hill, Sebesta and Webster)

Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2006-148, Community Contribution Tax Credit Program Review):

SPB 7036—Community Contribution Tax Credits

Presentation by Enterprise Florida, Inc.

Presentation by the Intelligent Transportation Society of Florida

Presentation by the Florida Humanities Council

Presentation by the Department of Military Affairs, Fiscal Year 2006-2007 budget priorities

Presentation by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, Fiscal Year 2006-2007 budget priorities

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Wednesday, November 9, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Senate Bills Filed for the 2006 Regular Session

SB 8 by Saunders

Eminent Domain/Limitations; provides definition; prohibits, under certain conditions, state agency, political subdivision, or corporation acting on behalf of state agency or political subdivision from taking private property through use of eminent domain; provides exemptions from prohibition. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Judiciary; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SJR 20 by Jones

Eminent Domain/Private Property; constitutional amendment to provide that private economic development shall not be deemed to constitute public purpose for which private property may be taken by eminent domain. Amends s. 6, Art. X.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Rules and Calendar

SJR 22 by Fasano

Limitations on Property Assessments; constitutional amendment to apply to all residential & commercial property limitations on assessments of property at just value currently applicable only to homestead property. Amends s. 4, Art. VII.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 24 by Baker and others

Hurricane Preparedness/Sales Tax; provides exemption from sales & use tax for sales of certain tangible personal property for certain period for certain purposes; provides exception; prohibits purchases of certain building materials by certain means; specifies certain activities by certain entities as unfair methods of competition; provides civil penalties; authorizes DOR to adopt certain rules. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Domestic Security; Commerce and Consumer Services; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means

SJR 26 by King

Constitutional Amendment/Initiative; constitutional amendment to require that constitutional amendment or revision proposed by initiative amend existing article of this constitution on same subject & matter, except that any proposed amendment or revision of Article X must amend or repeal existing section of that article on same subject & matter; addresses basic or fundamental right of citizen of this state, etc. Amends s. 3, Art. XI.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules and Calendar

SB 28 by Fasano

Public K-12 Education Instruction; revises provisions re required instruction & courses of study in public schools; includes study of history of U.S. & free enterprise; requires standards & assessments adopted by State Board of Education to conform; provides requirements for teaching & assessment of history of U.S.; amends provision re general requirements for high school graduation to include study of Declaration of Independence, etc. Amends 1003.42,.43, 1002.20. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Education; Judiciary; Education Appropriations

SB 30 by Lawson

Relief/Doretta Spurway/HSMV; provides for relief of Doretta Spurway for injuries she sustained as result of negligence by employee of department. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SB 32 by Lawson

Relief/Darling & Smith/FSU; provides for relief of Dennis Darling, Sr., & Wendy Smith, parents of Devaughn Darling, deceased, for loss of their son, Devaughn Darling, while he was engaged in football preseason training on F.S.U. campus. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SB 34 by Margolis

Relief/Dr. Sherrill Lynn Aversa/DOT; compensates estate of Dr. Sherrill Lynn Aversa for death of Dr. Sherrill Lynn Aversa, which was result of negligence by employee of DOT; provides for attorney's fees & costs. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SLC 36 by Margolis

Relief/Claude & Martine Tunc/Miami; provides for relief of Claude Tunc & Martine Tunc, individually & as co-personal representatives of Stephanie Tunc, deceased, & Sandrine Tunc, for death of Stephanie Tunc & injuries & damages sustained by Sandrine Tunc due to negligence of City of Miami Beach; provides for use of such funds; provides for attorney's fees & costs. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SB 38 by Campbell

Relief/Minouche Noel/DOH; provides for relief of Minouche Noel, a minor, & of her parents & natural guardians, Jean & Flora Noel, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Children's Medical Services of HRS Dept.; provides for use of such funds; provides for reversion to state. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SB 40 by Campbell

Relief/Stephen Hall/DOT; provides for relief of Stephen Hall to compensate him for injuries sustained as result of negligence of employee of DOT. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SLC 42 by Campbell

Relief/Monika Davis/Palm Beach Co.; provides for relief of Monika Davis by & through Mary Hall, her mother & legal guardian, for injuries & damages caused by negligence of Palm Beach County School District; provides for use of funds; provides for attorney's fees & costs. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 44 by Diaz de la Portilla

Relief/Norka Laureiro/Miami-Dade Co.; provides for relief of Norka Laureiro; authorizes & directs Miami-Dade Co. to compensate her for injuries sustained as result of collision caused by Miami-Dade County bus. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 46 by Diaz de la Portilla

Relief/Maria & Jorge Gough; provides for relief of Maria Gough & Jorge Gough, parents & natural guardians of Jaime Gough, a minor, & of Jorge Gough, as personal representative of estate of Jaime Gough, for wrongful death of their son, which was due in part to Miami-Dade Co. School Board's negligent failure to prevent foreseeable violence on school grounds; provides for payment of damages. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SLC 48 by Lynn

Relief/Sheryl & George Allen; compensates Sheryl D. Allen & George F. Allen, her husband, for injuries & damages sustained as result of trailer/float accident involving Sheryl D. Allen & employees of City of Tallahassee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SB 50 by Clary

Relief/Laura Laporte/DOACS; provides for relief of Laura Laporte for injuries she sustained as result of negligence by employee of Agriculture & Consumer Services Dept.; provides for attorney's fees & costs. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SLC 52 by Campbell

Relief/Alvarez & Patnode/Martin Co.; provides for relief of Cristina Alvarez & George Patnode; compensates them for death of their son, Nicholas Patnode, a minor, due to negligence of Martin Co. Health Dept.; provides for repayment of Medicaid liens. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SB 54 by Jones

Relief/Judge Joseph & Tena Donahey; compensates Judge Joseph G. Donahey, Jr., & Tena Donahey, his spouse, for injuries received by Joseph Donahey, Jr., & for damages sustained by Mr. & Mrs. Donahey as result of medical treatment of Judge Joseph G. Donahey, Jr., by employees of State of Florida. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SLC 56 by Siplin

Relief/Donna Sofka/Polk Co.; provides for relief of Donna Sofka for injuries sustained due to negligence of Polk Co. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 58 by Jones

Relief/Adam Susser/Broward Co.; provides for relief of Adam Susser, a minor, by & through his parents & natural guardians, Judith Susser & Gary Susser; compensates him for injuries & damages sustained as result of negligence of North Broward Hospital District, d.b.a. Coral Springs Medical Center. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 60 by Fasano

Relief/Sharon & Megan Jurgrau; provides for relief of Sharon Jurgrau, wife of Mark Jurgrau, deceased, & Megan Jurgrau, a minor child of Mark & Sharon Jurgrau; compensates them for death of Mark Jurgrau as result of negligence of South Broward Hospital District. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 62 by Aronberg

Relief/Verlin Weaver/Fernandina Bch.; provides for relief of Verlin C. Weaver for injuries sustained as result of negligence of employee of City of Fernandina Beach; provides for attorney's fees & expenses. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 64 by Aronberg

Relief/Jennifer Graham; provides for relief of Jennifer Graham to compensate her for injuries sustained as result of negligence of deputy sheriff of Palm Beach Co. Sheriff's Office. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 66 by Aronberg

Relief/J. Rae Hoyer/Collier Co.; provides for relief of J. Rae Hoyer, individually, & as Personal Representative of Estate of David J. Hoyer, M.D., deceased, whose demise was due in part to negligence on part of Sheriff of Collier County. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

10/10/05 References corrected to Rules and Calendar

SLC 68 by Bennett

Relief/Charles Pandrea; provides for relief of Charles Pandrea, husband of Janet Pandrea, deceased; compensates him for death of Janet Pandrea as result of negligence of North Broward Hospital District. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 70 by Campbell

Relief/Anthony John Angelillo; authorizes & directs Miami-Dade Co. to compensate Anthony John Angelillo for injuries suffered due to negligence of Miami-Dade County. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SLC 72 by Haridopolos

Relief/Wilton Dedge; compensates Mr. Dedge for miscarriage of justice which resulted in his 22-year imprisonment for crime he did not commit; provides special compensation for his imprisonment even after DNA tests demonstrated that incriminating evidence did not tie Wilton Dedge to crime; provides for reimbursement to Mr. & Mrs. Walter Dedge, parents of Wilton Dedge, for their expenditures in his defense & for economic damages, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SLC 74 by Hill

Relief/Betty Obenza/Duval Co.; provides for relief of Betty Obenza; authorizes & directs Duval Co. to compensate Betty Obenza for injuries sustained as result of negligence of employee of Jacksonville Electric Authority; provides for attorney's fees & costs. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills

SB 76 by Fasano

Relief/Amie Draiemann Stephenson/DOT; provides for relief of Amie Draiemann Stephenson, individually, & as Personal Representative of Estate of Christian Darby Stephenson, deceased, & for relief of Hailey Morgan Stephenson & Christian Darby Stephenson, II, as surviving minor children of decedent; compensates them for wrongful death of Christian Darby Stephenson, which was due in part to negligence of DOT. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SB 78 by Hill

Relief/Mrs. Johnnie Mae Chappell; directs Div. of Administrative Hearings to appoint administrative law judge to determine whether basis for equitable relief exists for purpose of compensating descendants of Mrs. Johnnie Mae Chappell for any wrongful act or omission by State of Florida, or officials thereof; authorizes such compensation upon determination by administrative law judge; requires report to Legislature; authorizes award of attorney's fees. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/01/05 Filed

08/15/05 Referred to Rules and Calendar

SB 80 by Aronberg

False or Misleading Electronic Mail; provides exemption from criminal liability for certain carriers whose equipment transmits commercial electronic mail messages that violate provision which prohibits specified actions re transmission of false or misleading unsolicited commercial electronic mail messages; provides criminal penalties for violations; provides applicability, etc. Amends 668.606, .6075, .610; creates 668.608. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Communications and Public Utilities; Commerce and Consumer Services; Criminal Justice

SB 82 by Lynn

Immunizations; prohibits vaccinating woman who is knowingly pregnant or child who is younger than specified age with vaccine that contains any mercury or injecting such woman or child with product that contains more than specified amount of mercury; provides for State Health Officer to authorize use of vaccines that contain greater amount of mercury than is otherwise allowed if Health Secretary declares public health emergency & makes certain findings, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Health and Human Services Appropriations

SB 84 by Lynn

Exceptional Student Instruction; provides guidelines for determining residency of student who receives instruction as exceptional student with disability; requires student's placing authority or parent to pay cost of such instruction, facilities, & services; requires DOE to develop individual education plan form for use in developing & implementing individual education plans for exceptional students, etc. Amends 1003.57, .58; creates 1003.576. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Education; Children and Families; Education Appropriations

SB 86 by Lynn

Mental Health Svcs./Substance Abuse; authorizes certain nonprofit providers of community mental health services or substance abuse treatment to form commercial self-insurance fund. Amends 624.462. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Banking and Insurance

SB 88 by Wise

Caregivers for Adults; provides legislative intent to foster caregiving as nonlicensed paraprofessional activity & to promote caregivers' use of best practices; creates Florida Caregiver Institute, Inc., an independent not-for-profit corporation housed in Fla. Policy Exchange Center on Aging at University of South Florida; provides for OPPAGA to conduct review of corporation by specified date & to report to Governor & Legislature, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Health Care; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Health and Human Services Appropriations

SB 90 by Fasano

State Travel Expenses; prescribes alternative rate for calculating mileage reimbursement when privately owned vehicles are used for official travel by certain state employees. Amends 112.061. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Ways and Means

SB 92 by Fasano

Officer Malcolm Thompson Act; revises provisions re benefits payable for total & permanent disability for certain Special Risk Class members of FRS who are injured in line of duty; authorizes reemployment of person who retired with in-line-of-duty disability benefits by employers not participating in state-administered retirement system & employer participating in said retirement system after 1 calendar month, etc. Amends 121.091. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Ways and Means

SB 94 by Fasano

HMOs/Fiscal Intermediary Services; redefines term "fiscal intermediary services organization"; expands requirement that HMO remains responsible for violations of certain statutory requirements if organization transfers to any entity obligations to pay any provider for claims arising from services to subscribers of organization; amends specified provision re regulation of insurance administrators; conforms provisions to changes made by act. Amends 641.316,.234, 626.88. Effective Date: 10/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Banking and Insurance; Health Care

SB 96 by Fasano

Sales Tax on Research or Development; deletes exception to exemption from tax for research or development costs; provides exemption for machinery & equipment used predominantly for research & development activities; defines term "machinery & equipment"; allows business certified to receive exemption to designate one or more state universities or community colleges as recipients of part or all of amount of exemption under specified conditions, etc. Amends 212.052. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Commerce and Consumer Services; Education; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means

SJR 98 by Alexander

Hurricane Loss Mitigation Programs; constitutional amendment to limit purposes for which Fla. Hurricane Catastrophe Fund's assets may be used, to require annual \$10 million appropriation in General Appropriations Act for hurricane loss mitigation programs, to require any additional appropriation from fund for programs to be subject to three-fourths vote of membership of Legislature in separate bill or bills, etc. Creates s. in Art. X.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Banking and Insurance; General Government Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 100 by Wise

Drug Paraphernalia Abatement; creates Drug Paraphernalia Abatement Task Force within Governor's Executive Office; prescribes task force membership; provides for meetings & duties of task force & that meetings & records are subject to public-records requirements of Public Records provisions; requires Drug Control Office within Governor's Executive Office to provide staff support; requires cooperation by state agencies, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Commerce and Consumer Services; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Ways and Means

SB 102 by Wise

Public School Employment; authorizes district school boards to reemploy retired members of FRS as administrative personnel. Amends 121.091. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Education; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 104 by Aronberg

FRS Credit/Prior Military Service; authorizes additional persons to purchase credit for prior military wartime service. Amends 121.111. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Ways and Means

SJR 106 by Aronberg

Primary Election/Party Affiliation; constitutional amendment that will permit all electors regardless of party affiliation to vote in any primary election for office, in same manner as currently permitted when winner of primary will be unopposed in general election, if winner of primary will be opposed in general election by write-in candidate only. Amends s. 5, Art. VI.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules and Calendar

SB 108 by Fasano

Abelardo 'Al' Castillo Act; creates said act; requires applicants for registration to furnish proof of certain liability insurance; provides that failure to maintain such insurance is grounds for denial, revocation, or refusal to renew registration; provides that violation of requirement to maintain liability insurance is criminal violation; provides administrative fines & criminal penalties. Amends 559.904,.921. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Transportation; Banking and Insurance

SB 110 by Fasano

Student Voter Education; encourages district school boards & county supervisors of elections jointly to provide program of voter education for high school seniors; provides guidelines for content of educational program; requires that program of voter education be conducted during school hours. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

08/31/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Education; Ethics and Elections

SJR 112 by Bennett

Homestead Property Assessments; constitutional amendment to provide for assessing at less than just value property purchased within 1 year after sale of homestead property if new property is established as homestead, to provide that difference between new property's just value & its assessed value in that first year may not exceed difference between previous homestead's just value & its assessed value in year of sale, etc. Amends s. 4, Art. VII.

08/31/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 114 by Lynn

Drug Court Programs; provides additional legislative purposes & intent re treatment of substance abuse, including use of drug court program model; authorizes court to order specified persons to submit to substance abuse assessment upon showing of good cause in connection with shelter petition or petition for dependency; authorizes court to extend time for completing case plan during judicial review, etc. Amends Ch. 39, 397.334, 910.035, 948.08, 16, 985.306. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/01/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Judiciary; Criminal Justice; Justice Appropriations

SB 116 by Fasano

Pretrial Release; requires that defendant charged with offense involving controlled substances prove legitimacy of any funds intended to be used to obtain release of defendant; requires court to revoke defendant's existing pretrial release & return defendant to custody on pending charge following defendant's arrest for subsequent felony offense involving said substances, etc. Amends 903.047, .0471; creates 903.081. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/01/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Justice Appropriations

SB 118 by Fasano

Temporary Child Custody; defines term "extended family member"; authorizes extended family member to bring proceeding in court to determine temporary custody of child; specifies information that must be included in petition for temporary custody by extended family member or putative father; provides that only extended family member or putative father may file petition for temporary custody under specified provisions, etc. Amends 751.011, .02, .03, .05. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/01/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Judiciary; Children and Families

SB 120 by Wise

Contracts/Electronic Info./Disabled; requires contractors to comply with certain federally mandated Internet accessibility requirements for persons with disabilities; specifies contract requirements; specifies conditions for breach & termination of contract; requires state agencies to comply with such federal requirements under certain circumstances; requires DMS to adopt rules. Creates 287.1346. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/01/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; General Government Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 122 by Fasano

Tuition Waivers/Purple Heart; requires community colleges & state universities to waive tuition for recipient of Purple Heart who fulfills specified criteria. Amends 1009.26. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/01/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Education; Community Affairs; Education Appropriations

SB 124 by Posey

Sovereign Immunity/Law Enforcement; provides that law enforcement agency is not liable for injury, death, or property damage effected or caused by person fleeing law enforcement officer under certain circumstances; provides for severability & application. Amends 768.28. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/01/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary

SB 126 by Bennett

Growth Management; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re growth management. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Environmental Preservation; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 128 by Bennett

Building Codes; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re building codes. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 130 by Bennett

Growth Management; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re growth management. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Environmental Preservation; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 132 by Bennett

Affordable Housing; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re affordable housing. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 134 by Bennett

Eminent Domain; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re eminent domain. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 136 by Bennett

Affordable Housing; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re affordable housing. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SJR 138 by Haridopoulos

Homestead Property/Just Value; constitutional amendment to provide additional circumstance for assessing homestead property at less than just value. Amends s. 4, Art. VII.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 140 by Fasano

The Seniors' Safety Act; provides for reclassification of felonies committed against elderly or disabled; provides for reclassification of misdemeanors committed against persons 65 years of age or older; provides for mandatory term of imprisonment for certain thefts against persons 65 years of age or older & for certain acts of exploitation against elderly person or disabled adult, etc. Creates 775.0847; amends 784.08, 812.0145, 825.103, 775.0877, 921.0022. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Justice Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 142 by Fasano

Telecommunication Rates; repeals provisions re price regulation & competitive market enhancements of local exchange telecommunication companies; provides that if local telecommunications service rate was increased & corresponding telecommunications intrastate access fee was reduced, those rates & fees are suspended as of specified date, & thereafter said company must charge such rates & fees at rates in effect on December 1, 2003, etc. Amends Ch. 364. Effective Date: 05/15/2006 or upon becoming law, whichever occurs later.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Communications and Public Utilities; Government Efficiency Appropriations

SB 144 by Saunders

Direct Shipments of Wine; provides for certain direct shipments of wine from out of state; requires shippers to have certain licenses & pay excise taxes; requires person receiving shipment of wine from out of state to register with Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Div.; exempts charitable organizations from excise & sales & use taxes on sales made from direct shipments of wine from out of state, subject to restrictions, etc. Amends 561.54, .545; creates 561.585. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Regulated Industries; Criminal Justice; General Government Appropriations

SB 146 by Saunders

Homestead Exemption/Fraudulent Act; provides value-based sliding scale of criminal penalties applicable to claimant who knowingly & willfully gives false information for purpose of claiming homestead exemption if funds for homestead were obtained by commission of fraudulent act. Amends 196.131. Effective Date: 10/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Justice Appropriations

SB 148 by Saunders

Public Swimming & Bathing Facilities; provides that private pools & water therapy facilities connected with licensed massage therapy establishments are exempt from supervision or regulation by DOH. Amends 514.0115. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Health Care

SB 150 by Saunders

Save Our Everglades Trust Fund; provides legislative intent re need to expeditiously implement Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan; removes obsolete provisions; directs deposit of funds into said trust fund within DEP; requires that portion of those funds be used for land acquisition. Amends 373.470. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Environmental Preservation; General Government Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 152 by Saunders

Property Appraiser Assessments; provides property appraisers with additional methods for inspecting real property for assessment purposes in addition to physical inspections; reduces required frequency of physical inspections. Amends 193.023. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs

SB 154 by Baker

Sales Tax/Health Clubs; redefines term "admissions" to exclude dues & fees paid to health clubs or physical fitness facilities, thereby eliminating applicability of tax to such dues & fees. Amends 212.02. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed

10/13/05 Withdrawn prior to introduction

SB 156 by Lynn

Florida 211 Network; requires said network to provide services in each county & to coordinate services with county emergency management agencies during disasters; provides requirements for distribution of state funds appropriated for such purposes; requires local matching funds; requires expenditure reports to Fla. Alliance of Information & Referral Services, AHCA, & Legislature; defines term "211 provider". Amends 408.918. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Community Affairs; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 158 by Lynn

Theft; provides that theft of property that has been deployed by law enforcement officer is grand theft in first degree; provides that it is second-degree felony to possess or use fifth wheel to commit or attempt to commit theft; classifies offense of stealing property deployed by said officer under offense severity ranking chart of Criminal Punishment Code, etc. Amends 812.014, .155, 921.0022; creates 812.0147; reenacts 985.227(1)(a). Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Transportation; Commerce and Consumer Services; Justice Appropriations

SB 160 by Lynn

Termination of Parental Rights; provides that parental rights of person incarcerated in state or federal correctional institution may be terminated if period of time for which parent has been & is expected to be incarcerated will constitute substantial portion of time before child attains age of 18 years; reenacts provisions re circumstances for which parental rights of person may be terminated & shared parental responsibility, etc. Amends 39.806; reenacts 39.811(6), 61.13(2)(b). Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Judiciary

SB 162 by Fasano

Bob Martinez Building/DEP; designates DEP building at 2600 Blair Stone Road in Tallahassee as "Bob Martinez Building"; directs DEP to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Environmental Preservation; Governmental Oversight and Productivity

SB 164 by Lynn

Qualified Job Training Organizations; defines term "qualified job-training organization"; provides for Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development Office to certify said organizations; provides for distribution of certain funds to certified organization; specifies uses of funds; authorizes Auditor General to audit such organizations for certain purposes; provides for revocation of certification under circumstances. Creates 288.1171. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Commerce and Consumer Services; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 166 by Campbell

Residential Foreclosure Proceedings; provides requirements & procedures for disbursement of surplus funds from judicial sale; specifies required notice form to be served with summons & complaint in actions to foreclose interest in mortgagor's primary dwelling; provides civil penalty for knowingly using unfair or deceptive homeowner victimization methods, acts, or practices in residential foreclosure proceedings, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Justice Appropriations

SB 168 by Lynn

Accessories to Crime; removes provisions that exempt certain members of offender's family from being charged with offense of acting as accessory after fact. Amends 777.03. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary

SB 170 by Baker

Administration of Medication; authorizes certain staff members to administer prescription medications under supervision of registered nurse to persons with developmental disabilities at comprehensive transitional education program; directs Agency for Persons with Disabilities to adopt rules to administer provisions governing administration of medication by unlicensed direct care staff. Amends 393.506. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Children and Families

SB 172 by Rich

Adoption; provides that person who is homosexual is eligible to be adoptive parent under certain enumerated circumstances; requires that eligibility criteria be met by clear & convincing evidence. Amends 63.042. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Judiciary

SB 174 by Rich

Theft of Property; redefines term "robbery" to include unlawful endeavoring to take property; provides that if offender threatens to use weapon or firearm during course of robbery, offender commits felony of first degree; provides for penalties; redefines terms "robbery by sudden snatching" & "carjacking" to include unlawful endeavoring to take property, etc. Amends 812.13, .131, .133; reenacts 921.0022(3)(e), (f), (g), (h), & (i). Effective Date: 10/01/2006.

09/08/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Justice Appropriations

SB 176 by Saunders

Controlled Substances/Pub. Rec.; exempts from public-records requirements information & records reported to DOH under electronic monitoring system for prescription of controlled substances listed in Schedules II-IV; authorizes certain persons & entities access to patient-identifying information; provides guidelines for use of such information & penalties for violations; provides for future legislative review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Creates 893.056. Effective Date: Contingent.

09/12/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules and Calendar

SB 178 by Saunders

Controlled Substances; prohibits sale, manufacture, alteration, delivery, uttering, or possession of counterfeit-resistant prescription blanks for controlled substances; requires DOH to establish electronic system to monitor prescribing of controlled substances listed in Schedules II, III, & IV; requires dispensing of said substance to be reported through system; provides reporting requirements, etc. Creates 831.311, 893.055, .065; amends 893.04. Effective Date: Contingent.

09/12/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Criminal Justice; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Justice Appropriations

SB 180 by Saunders

Physician Licensure/Externship; provides option for applicants for physician licensure to complete externship; authorizes DOH to develop procedures re completion of externship; requires board approval of externships; authorizes board to adopt rules to implement externship requirements, including fees to cover costs; revises requirement of dept. to impose conditions, limitations, or restrictions on license; conforms cross-references. Amends 458.311,.313,.316,.3165,.317,.347. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/12/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care

SB 182 by Saunders

Controlled Substances; provides for aggregation of amounts of controlled substances in certain circumstances for offenses involving trafficking; requires that defendant on pretrial release for felony drug offense who is subsequently arrested for new felony drug offense be returned to custody & show that he or she is not adanger to community in order to be released again; creates Drug Paraphernalia Abatement Task Force within Executive Office of Governor, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

09/12/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Ways and Means

SJR 184 by Saunders

Homestead Property Assessments; constitutional amendment to provide additional circumstance for assessing homestead property at less than just value. Amends s. 4, Art. VII.

09/13/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 186 by Villalobos

Postsentence DNA Testing; revises circumstances under which person who has been sentenced for committing felony may petition court for postsentence testing of DNA evidence; abolishes certain time limitations imposed upon such testing; authorizes governmental entity to dispose of physical evidence if sentence imposed has expired & another law or rule does not require that evidence be retained; provides for retroactive application. Amends 925.11. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/13/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Justice Appropriations

SB 188 by King

Bicycle Safety; revises safety standard requirements for bicycle helmets that must be worn by certain riders & passengers; provides for enforcement of certain bicycle equipment requirements; provides penalties for violations; provides for dismissal of first offense. Amends 316.2065. Effective Date: 10/01/2006.

09/13/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Transportation; Criminal Justice; Rules and Calendar

SB 190 by Wise

Seaport Security; requires that FDLE establish waiver process to allow individual, who is otherwise unqualified, to be allowed unescorted access to seaport or restricted access area; authorizes seaport authority or governing board of certain seaports to require that seaport security officers receive additional training & certification; provides requirements for schools that offer training for seaport security officers, etc. Amends Ch. 311. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/14/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Domestic Security; Criminal Justice; Commerce and Consumer Services; Justice Appropriations

SB 192 by Wise

Prison Industries; creates Prison Industries Task Force within Office of Legislative Services; requires task force to determine how well prison industries program has fulfilled its statutory mission & purpose; specifies duties of task force re taking testimony; abolishes task force on future date; clarifies state's reversionary interest in facilities, property, & assets of corporation operating correctional work program, etc. Amends 946.505. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/14/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Justice Appropriations

SJR 194 by Fasano

Homestead Tax/Disabled Veteran/WW II; constitutional amendment to provide deduction from ad valorem tax on homestead of disabled veteran of World War II who was a Florida resident at time of entering military service & to provide that percentage of discount equals percentage of veterans' combat-related disability. Amends s. 6, Art. VII.

09/14/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 196 by Fasano

Ad Val Tax/Out of State Residency; provides that ad valorem tax exemption or tax credit received from another state & based on requirement of permanent residency in that state is factor for property appraiser to consider in determining permanent residency in this state, rather than sufficient basis for excluding entitlement to homestead exemption in this state. Amends 196.015; repeals 196.031(6). Effective Date: 01/01/2007.

09/14/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; General Government Appropriations

SB 198 by Aronberg

Voyeurism; revises elements of offense of voyeurism in order to eliminate acts of photographing, filming, videotaping, or recording, which are made a crime under offense of video voyeurism; provides that person commits offense of voyeurism when he or she secretly observes another person when other person is in location that provides reasonable expectation of privacy. Amends 810.14. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/15/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary

SB 200 by Aronberg

Protective Injunction/Govt. Employer; provides standing for governmental employer to seek injunction for protection against repeat violence on behalf of employee. Amends 784.046. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/15/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Productivity

SB 202 by Aronberg

Consumer Protection; changes obsolete dates; amends & reenacts specified provision re remedies of enforcing authority under Florida Deceptive & Unfair Trade Practices Act; provides that court may order actions brought under that act on behalf of an enterprise. Amends 501.203,.204,.207; reenacts 501.207(1). Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/15/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Commerce and Consumer Services; Judiciary

SCR 204 by Margolis

Equal Rights for Men & Women; ratifies proposed amendment to Constitution of United States re equal rights for men & women.

09/16/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Judiciary; Rules and Calendar

SB 206 by Peaden

Firearms/Motor Vehicle; prohibits specified persons, employers, & business entities from establishing, maintaining, or enforcing any policy or rule that prohibits person from parking motor vehicle on property set aside for such purpose when secured firearm or firearms are being lawfully transported & stored in motor vehicle; provides penalty & construction; provides for specified immunity from liability; provides intent, etc. Amends 790.25, 27.53. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/19/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Commerce and Consumer Services; Judiciary

SB 208 by Baker

Voter Registration/FWC; requires subagents appointed by Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission for sale of hunting, fishing, & trapping licenses & permits to provide individuals seeking such licenses & permits opportunity to register to vote or to update voter registration; requires supervisors of elections to provide such subagents with necessary voter registration applications; provides penalties. Amends 372.574. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/20/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Environmental Preservation; Ethics and Elections; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

SB 210 by Baker

Public Transportation/User Fees; requires local governments that operate public transportation systems to obtain specified percentage of cost of operating system from user fees; provides exceptions. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/20/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Transportation; Community Affairs; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

SB 212 by Baker

Assault/Battery on Security Officers; provides for reclassification of assault or battery on licensed security officer; provides applicability. Amends 784.07. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/20/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Justice Appropriations

SB 214 by Wise

Dart-Firing Stun Guns/Training & Use; provides circumstances during which law enforcement, correctional, & correctional probation officers may employ dart-firing stun gun; requires Criminal Justice Standards & Training Commission to establish standards for instruction in use of such guns in self defense & in use of deadly force; requires that minimum number of hours in such training be included in basic-skills course required for certification. Creates 943.1717. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/21/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Justice Appropriations

SB 216 by Bennett

Impact Fees; expresses legislative intent to enact laws re impact fees. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/21/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 218 by Bennett

Impact Fees; expresses legislative intent to enact laws re impact fees. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/21/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 220 by Bennett

Foster Children/Vehicle Insurance; creates pilot program for purpose of reimbursing foster parents, residential facilities, or foster children who live independently for portion of increased costs of motor vehicle insurance for foster child who has driver's license; directs DCFS to establish pilot program in Sarasota, DeSoto, Manatee, Pinellas, & Pasco Counties; requires that person who incurs increased cost submit to dept. documentation of that increase, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/21/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 222 by Bennett

Collegiate License Plates; exempts collegiate specialty plate from requirement to maintain minimum sales of 1,000 or more until plate has been offered for specified period. Amends 320.08056. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/21/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Transportation

SB 224 by Bennett

Road Rage Reduction Act; requires operators of motor vehicles to drive in right-hand lane on certain highways; provides for assessment of points for violating specified provisions that require operators of motor vehicles to drive on right side of road; requires HSMV to provide educational awareness campaign; provides grace period when warnings & educational literature may be issued by law enforcement officer, etc. Amends 316.081, 322.27. Effective Date: 07/01/2006 except as otherwise provided.

09/21/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Transportation; Criminal Justice;
Transportation and Economic Development
Appropriations

SB 226 by Bennett

Surplus Lands; expresses legislative intent to enact legislation re surplus lands. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/21/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Environmental
Preservation; General Government Appropriations; Ways
and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 228 by Fasano

Community Behavioral Health Agencies; authorizes certain nonprofit community mental health or substance abuse providers to form self-insurance fund for certain purposes; requires certain funds to initially be organized & operate as commercial self-insurance fund for specified time; limits net economic damages per claim in certain tort actions brought against certain programs or facilities, etc. Creates 624.4624, 394.9085. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

09/21/05 Filed
09/27/05 Withdrawn prior to introduction

SR 230 by Fasano

Greyhound Adoption Month; recognizes October 2006 as "Greyhound Adoption Month."

09/21/05 Filed—Not Referred

SB 232 by Fasano

Lawful Testing/Alcohol or Substances; revises provisions re presumption of consent to submit to blood test; directs law enforcement officer to require person driving motor vehicle or person operating vessel or in actual physical control of said vehicle or vessel to submit to blood test for purpose of determining alcoholic content of blood or presence of specified chemical or controlled substances if that person has refused or failed to submit to lawful urine test, etc. Amends Chs. 316, 327. Effective Date: 10/01/2006.

09/22/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Transportation

SB 234 by Clary

Legislative Chamber Renovation TF; creates said trust fund within State Legislature; provides for use & sources of funds; provides for annual carryforward of moneys in trust fund; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates 11.95. Effective Date: 07/01/2006 if enacted by 3/5ths vote of membership of each house of Legislature.

09/22/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

SB 236 by Saunders

Florida Aerospace Infrastructure Act; creates said act; provides legislative findings & intent; provides definitions; creates Florida Aerospace Infrastructure Investment Program; provides for administration of Florida Aerospace Infrastructure Investment Trust Fund; creates independent investment committee & provides purpose, powers, limitations, & membership; establishes investment criteria for fund; provides tax-exempt status; requires reports & audits. Creates 331.501-.507. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Commerce and Consumer Services;
Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Government
Efficiency Appropriations; Transportation and Economic
Development Appropriations

SB 238 by Saunders

Fla. Aerospace Infrastructure TF; creates Florida Aerospace Infrastructure Investment Trust Fund; provides for uses & sources of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of fund. Creates 331.508. Effective Date: Contingent.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Commerce and Consumer Services;
Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Government
Efficiency Appropriations; Transportation and Economic
Development Appropriations

SB 240 by Saunders

Nurse Licensure Compact/OPPAGA Study; directs OPPAGA to conduct study to evaluate whether this state should join Nurse Licensure Compact. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means

SB 242 by Lynn

Religious-Exempt Child Care Programs; cites act as "Zaniyah Hinson Act"; provides for child care program affiliated with religious congregation or religious school to be exempt from regulation by DCFS as religious-exempt child care program; provides timeframes within which child care programs must meet requirements for training & credentials; requires recognized accrediting agencies for religious exemption to submit standards to DCFS, etc. Amends 402.316. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Commerce and
Consumer Services; Health and Human Services
Appropriations

SB 244 by Lynn

Moving & Storage Services; redefines term "self-contained storage unit" to include smaller units; clarifies licensing requirements for household movers & moving brokers; requires moving brokers to register with DOACS; provides requirements & fees for such registration; requires mover's vehicles to display certain signage; provides for denial, refusal to renew, or revocation of registration of mover or moving broker, etc. Amends Ch. 507, 83.803, 205.1975. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Commerce and Consumer Services;
Transportation; Banking and Insurance; Community
Affairs

SB 246 by Constantine

Tuition Rates/Colleges/Universities; requires students to pay 75 percent of actual cost per credit hour for credit hours in excess of specified number for community-college credits & for overall credits applied to baccalaureate degree; excludes certain credit hours from calculation as hours required to earn baccalaureate degree; provides for notification of students by postsecondary institution; provides applicability. Creates 1009.286. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Education; Education Appropriations

SB 248 by Constantine

Automated External Defibrillators; requires each private & public high school to have defibrillator on school grounds. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Education

SB 250 by Margolis

Human Trafficking; redefines term "forced labor or services" to include labor coerced from person when person's identification documents are destroyed, concealed, or withheld by another; directs Fla. Court Educational Council to establish standards for instructing circuit & county court judges on matters re victims of said trafficking; redefines term "racketeering activity" to include offense of human trafficking for purposes of Fla. RICO Act, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Justice Appropriations

SB 252 by Rich

Emergency Medical Services; defines terms "youth athletic organization" & "automated external defibrillator device"; provides for grants to local agencies, emergency medical services organizations, & youth athletic organizations to expand use of said devices; requires DOH to administer educational campaign re lack of immunity in use of such device under certain circumstances, etc. Amends 401.107, .111, .113, 768.1325. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Judiciary; Health and Human Services Appropriations

SB 254 by Dockery

Leighton Lee Baker Memorial Highway; designates Leighton Lee Baker Memorial Highway in Lake County; directs DOT to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Transportation

SB 256 by King

Scholarship Programs; amends provisions re John M. McKay Scholarships for Students with Disabilities Program; revises eligibility requirements of program; prohibits transfer of funds to Fla. School for Deaf & Blind under certain circumstances; authorizes certain scholarship students to participate in distance learning or correspondence course or private tutoring program under certain circumstances, etc. Amends 220.187, 1002.39. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Education; Judiciary; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Education Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 258 by Alexander

Farm Labor Vehicles; repeals provision re transportation of migrant farm workers; requires owners & operators of farm labor vehicles to conform such vehicles to certain standards; requires seat belts at each passenger position in certain vehicles; requires certain operators to display prescribed stickers on their vehicles; requires certain sign to be displayed in such vehicles, etc. Amends Ch. 316, 320.38, 322.031, 450.181, .28, .33. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Transportation; Commerce and Consumer Services; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

SB 260 by Haridopolos

Intangible Personal Property Tax; repeals "Intangible Personal Property Tax Act"; amends various provisions to conform to that repeal; repeals provisions re situs of property for assessment purposes, date of assessment of property, preparation of assessment rolls, filing of said tax returns as factor in determining residency, & tax exemption for certain leasehold interests of Fla. High-Speed Rail Authority; conforms cross-reference. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2007.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Commerce and Consumer Services; Banking and Insurance; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 262 by Bennett

Administrative Procedures; revises duties of Administrative Procedures Committee re its review of statutes; redefines term "small business" to include certain specified individuals whose net worth does not exceed specified amount; requires an agency to file notice of change with said committee; requires information to be published electronically on Internet website; revises provisions re withdrawal of challenged rules, etc. Amends 11.60, 57.111, Ch. 120. Effective Date: 07/01/2006 except as otherwise provided.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Judiciary; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

SB 264 by Fasano

Homestead Assessments; provides additional criterion for determining no change in ownership of homestead property for homestead assessment purposes; specifies condition for change in ownership. Amends 193.155. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations

SB 266 by Fasano

Athletic Trainers/Licensure; revises requirements for licensure as athletic trainer; provides that person employed as apprentice trainer or athletic trainer is not exempt from specified provisions; deletes classification of first responder in school district's athletic injuries prevention & treatment program; requires that athletic trainer employed by school district be licensed as athletic trainer, etc. Amends 468.707, .711, .723, 1012.46. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/10/05 Filed
10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Education

SB 268 by Fasano

Driver's License Service Outsourcing; directs DHSMV to study outsourcing of its driver's license services to provider, in whole or in part, while retaining responsibility & accountability for services; requires that dept. submit report to Governor & Legislature by specified date; provides requirements for dept. re issues to be included in study; requires cost-benefit analysis & transition & implementation plan. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Transportation; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

SB 270 by Lynn

Child Care; revises requirements for Teacher Education & Compensation Helps scholarship program; authorizes screening of child care volunteers; authorizes DCFS to apply certain requirements for personnel in child care facilities to personnel in family day care homes & large family child care homes; requires family day care homes that are required to be licensed & large family child care homes to have license that is renewed annually, etc. Amends Ch. 402. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Commerce and Consumer Services; Health and Human Services Appropriations

SB 272 by Jones

Physicians/Financial Responsibility; provides additional requirements, re licensure, for professional liability insurance coverage, escrow account, & irrevocable letter of credit; provides for submittal, to DOH, by physician or osteopathic physician of sworn statement & documentation re liability insurance coverage, escrow account, or letter of credit; provides exemption for certain physicians or osteopathic physicians for payment to judgment creditor, etc. Amends 458.320, 459.0085. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Criminal Justice; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Justice Appropriations

SB 274 by Jones

Defibrillators in State Parks; encourages state parks to have functioning automated external defibrillator; requires training, maintenance, & location registration; provides immunity from liability under Good Samaritan Act & Cardiac Arrest Survival Act; authorizes Recreation & Parks Div. to adopt rules. Creates 258.0165. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Health Care; Environmental Preservation; Judiciary; General Government Appropriations

SB 276 by Baker

Justice For Justin' Act; creates "Justin McWilliams 'Justice For Justin' Act"; requires driver of vehicle involved in crash occurring on public or private property that results in injury of person to immediately stop vehicle & remain at scene; provides that failure to stop vehicle & remain at scene by driver of vehicle involved in crash occurring on public or private property which results in death of person is first-degree felony, etc. Amends 316.027, 921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Transportation; Criminal Justice; Justice Appropriations

SB 278 by Wise

Efficiency/Conservation Contracting; includes water & wastewater efficiency & conservation in measures encouraged by Legislature; revises definitions; provides for inclusion of water & wastewater efficiency & conservation measures in guaranteed performance savings contracts entered into by state agency, municipality, or political subdivision; amends provision re consolidated financing of deferred-payment purchases, to conform. Amends 287.064, 489.145. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Regulated Industries; General Government Appropriations

SB 280 by Fasano

Community Behavioral Health Agencies; provides that certain facilities or programs defined in Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services chapters have liability limits in tort actions under certain circumstances; limits net economic damages allowed per claim; requires that costs to defend actions be assumed by provider or its insurer; specifies occasions upon which immunities enjoyed by provider extend to employee, etc. Creates 394.9085. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Children and Families; Judiciary; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Ways and Means

SB 282 by Dockery

Beverage Law/Direct Shipment of Wine; provides for direct shipment of wine from within or outside state; requires that each container of wine shipped directly be labeled with notice; specifies that provisions prohibiting direct shipment of alcoholic beverages are inapplicable to wine shipped under specified provision; includes Internet sales as sales construed to be actually made at vendor's licensed place of business, etc. Creates 561.575; amends 561.54,.545,.57. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Regulated Industries; Criminal Justice; General Government Appropriations

SB 284 by Margolis

Rights of Parents/Students; requires public schools to notify student's parents when prospective employers visit campus or request contact information for student; provides penalties. Amends 1002.22. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Education; Education Appropriations

SB 286 by Fasano

Sinkhole Insurance Relief Act; authorizes insurers to make direct payment for certain repairs; revises testing standards for sinkholes; provides for alternative procedure for resolution of disputed sinkhole insurance claims, which is optional, nonbinding, & informal; requires insurers to provide consumer information pamphlets to policyholders upon receipt of sinkhole report or denial of claim, etc. Amends 627.707,.7072,.7073; creates 627.7074. Effective Date: 07/01/2006.

10/10/05 Filed

10/26/05 Referred to Banking and Insurance; Regulated Industries; Judiciary

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Senator Campbell, Chair; Senator Webster, Vice-Chair; Senators Fasano, Lynn, Peaden, and Rich

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Senator Crist, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Aronberg, and Villalobos

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Senator Pruitt, Chair; Senator Argenziano, Vice-Chair; Senators Campbell, Carlton, Clary, Constantine, Diaz de la Portilla, Dockery, Garcia, Geller, Klein, Margolis, Miller, Smith, and Villalobos

Transportation

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Senator Fasano, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair; Senators Dockery, Hill, Sebesta, and Webster

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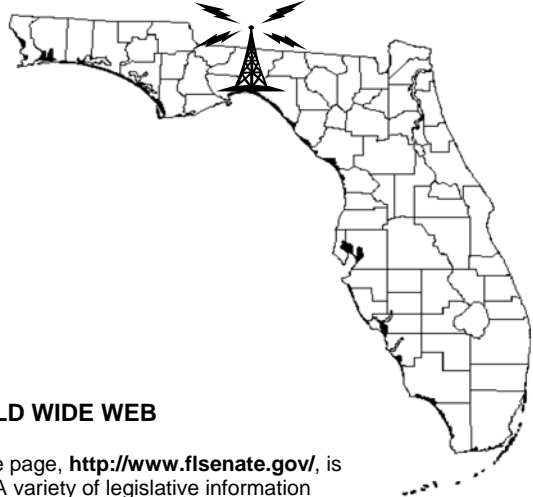
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August	1, 2005	Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81)
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March	7, 2006	Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution)
March	7, 2006	12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7)
April	25, 2006	50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9)
May	1, 2006	All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8) Conference Committee Reports require only one reading (Rule 4.5)
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